

KEY-KLICKS MARCH 1992



THE GREEN BAY MIKE & KEY CLUB, INC.
P.O. BOX 13351
GREEN BAY, WI. 54307

CLUB MEETING

THE NEXT MEETING OF THE GREEN BAY MIKE & KEY CLUB (THE 2ND THURSDAY EACH MONTH), WILL BE MARCH 12TH AT 7:30PM IN THE MEDIA SERVICES AREA OF THE J.M. SCIENCE BUILDING (ROOM 223) AT ST. NORBERT COLLEGE. GUESTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME! THIS MONTH WE WILL BE JUDGING THE "HOME BREW" AND THE "CLUB QSL CARD" CONTESTS, THE WINNER OF THE "CW" CONTEST WILL BE ANNOUNCED.

DON'T FORGET THE BANQUET!

THE GREEN BAY MIKE & KEY CLUBS' ANNUAL BANQUET WILL BE ON MARCH 13TH AT THE SWAN CLUB IN DE PERE; "ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT" AT 6PM WITH BUFFET DINNER AT 7PM. THE COST IS \$8 PER PERSON. RESERVATIONS CAN BE MADE WITH TOM, KB9EWK, 435-6185, AND MUST BE MADE BY MARCH 4TH.

NEXT BOARD MEETING

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WILL HOLD ITS' NEXT MEETING AT THE RE-PLA LOUNGE, 900 HANSEN RD. IN ASHWAUBENON AT APPROXIMATELY 5:30PM ON MARCH 5TH. THIS IS AN OPEN MEETING.

"SIREN TEST NET"

DON'T MISS THE SIREN TEST NET AT NOON ON THE SECOND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH. THIS NET WILL BE CONDUCTED ON THE 147.12 REPEATER STARTING AT 11:50AM. FURTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS NET CAN BE OBTAINED BY CALLING PAT, KA9VRK, 434-2942 OR AL, KA9AIV, 499-9535.

APRIL CLUB MEETING TOPIC

AT THE APRIL MEETING, BILL IERIEN FROM THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE WILL PRESENT A PROGRAM ON SEVERE WEATHER. THIS PROGRAM WILL PERTAIN TO THE ROLE THAT AMATEUR OPERATORS CAN PLAY IN THE EVENT OF TORNADOS, ETC. PLEASE PLAN TO ATTEND AND LEARN MORE ABOUT THE VALUABLE SERVICES WE CAN PROVIDE.

NEWEST CLUB MEMBERS

NEW MEMBERS IN THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY INCLUDE:

BOB LITTLEJOHN REV. ROBERT REPPEN, KB9ESU

LOUIS DANIELSON DARIN WILLIAMS, KB9GNT

TERRY CLINE

PLEASE MAKE IT A POINT TO MEET THESE PEOPLE AND INTRODUCE YOURSELF!!

MEETING MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 13, 1992

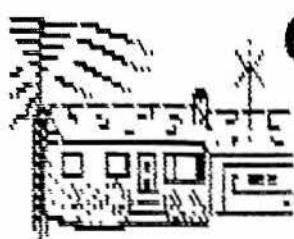
JOHN, KE9AS, CALLED THE FEBRUARY MEETING TO ORDER AT 7:31PM. A ROLE CALL WAS TAKEN INDICATING 35 MEMBERS AND 1 GUEST PRESENT. A MOTION WAS MADE TO SUSPEND THE READING OF THE SECRETARYS' REPORT. MOTION CARRIED. JOHN, KE9AS, READ THE TREASURERS' REPORT THE BALANCE AT THE END OF JANUARY WAS \$5466.52. BALLOTS WERE HANDED OUT FOR VOTING FOR THE HAM OF THE YEAR. TOM, KB9EWK, REPORTED ON THE BANQUET AT THE SWAN CLUB IN DE PERE ON MARCH 13, 1992. TOM ALSO REPORTED ON THE AVAILABILITY OF SHIRTS AND HATS WITH THE CLUB LOGO. JOHN, KE9AS, REPORTED ON THE CONTESTS FOR THE CLUB: THE CW CONTEST RUNS FROM FEBRUARY 14TH TO FEBRUARY 28TH. RULES ARE IN THE FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER FOR THE QSL CARD CONTEST TO REDESIGN THE NEW QSL CARD FOR K9EAM, AND THE HOME BREW CONTEST. VOTING ON THE QSL AND HOMEBREW CONTESTS WILL BE AT THE MARCH MEETING. BOB, KA9BXG, REPORTED ON THE PREPARATIONS FOR FIELD DAY. THERE WILL BE A SMALL CHANGE IF YOU PLAN ON STAYING OVERNIGHT. IF YOU WANT TO HELP CONTACT BOB, KA9BXG OR CLINT, N9FJW, FIELD DAY WILL BE JUNE 27TH AND 28TH. THE COMMITTEE, KA9AIV, N9GDW, AND WY9E SUBMITTED A SET OF PROPOSED RULES FOR THE OPERATION OF THE ST. NORBERTS CLUB STATION. AFTER THE RULES WERE READ TO THE MEMBERSHIP THEY WERE VOTED UPON AND APPROVED. THEY WILL BE POSTED IN THE CLUB STATION. ANYONE INTERESTED IN THE POSITION OF EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR, CONTACT JOHN, KE9AS. JOHN, KE9AS PRESENTED A BUDGET FOR THE CLUB. IT IS ANTICIPATED THAT IT WILL BE EASIER TO KEEP THE CLUB MEMBERS APPRAISED OF THE SOLVENCY OF THE CLUB. JOHN THEN REPORTED ON THE LINKING PROJECT. IT IS HOPED IN THE NEXT MONTH A TRIAL PROJECT WITH THE 147.36 MACHINE WILL BE OPERATIONAL TO ACQUAINT THE MEMBERSHIP WITH REPEATER LINKING. THE BAY BEACH PICNIC WILL BE HELD IN THE FIRST PART OF JUNE, MORE LATER. ANYONE INTERESTED IN ASSISTING WITH OBTAINING DONATIONS FOR THE CLUB CONTACT KEN, N9LSX. ANYONE INTERESTED IN SERVING ON AN EQUIPMENT LOCATION COMMITTEE CONTACT JOHN, KE9AS. ANYONE INTERESTED IN ACTING AS A LIASION WITH ST NORBERT'S PLEASE ALSO CONTACT JOHN, KE9AS. THE SWAPFEST IS ANTICIPATED TO BE HELD ON OCTOBER 3RD, 1992. ANYONE INTERESTED IN HELPING OUT CONTACT JOHN, KE9AS, EARL, KB9DSV, OR SCOTT, KB9AMM. TOM, KB9EWK, REPORTED ON THE CLASSES AT ST. NORBERT'S. TOM WILL COORDINATE WITH JIM, WY9E FOR A TESTING SESSION FOR THE STUDENTS. BOB REPORTED ON THE NEWSLINE AVAILABLE TO THE CLUB. AFTER MUCH DISCUSSION A MOTION WAS MADE TO TRY IT FOR 4 WEEKS ON THE WEDNESDAY NIGHT NET, AFTER WHICH IT WILL BE REEVALUATED BY THE CLUB. MOTION CARRIED. TOM, N9LWI GAVE A SHORT REPORT ON DX ACTIVITY ON THE HF BANDS. MEETING ADJOURNED AT 8:43PM.

SUBMITTED BY JOHN, KE9AS, PRESIDENT

10 METER NET

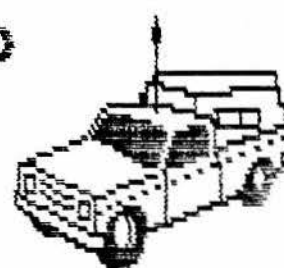
DON'T FORGET THE 10 METER NET THAT MEETS AT 9:PM, (0300 UTC) SUNDAYS ON THE FREQUENCY OF 28.400 PLUS OR MINUS OTHER ACTIVITY. ALL THOSE WHO WISH TO CHECK IN ARE WELCOME.





Green Bay Mike & Key Club

March 1992



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday																												
1 1992 WISCONSIN QSO PARTY	2	3 HAVE YOU CONTACT TOM/KB9EWK ABOUT THE GBMK BANQUET ?? LAST ?? ? CHANCE ?	4 NEW radio league 7:30 P M motor lodge NOVICE/TECH 7:00/9:00 PM St. Norbert	5 board meeting 5:30 P M RE - PLA LOUNGE	6	7																												
8	9	10 CQ TUESDAY 12:00 NOON DOWNTOWNER	11 NOVICE/TECH 7:00 / 9:00 P M SIREN TEST 11:50 A M CHECK IN 147.120 +	12 GBMK club meeting 7:30 P M St. Norbert J. H. Science	13 BANQUET SWAN CLUB 6:30 P M CONTACT TON CIHA KB9EWK 435-6185	14																												
15	16 FOX CITY Radio Club meeting 7:00 P M	17	18 NOVICE/TECH 7:00 / 9:00 P M St. Norbert J. H. Science	19	20 DEADLINE KEY CLICKS (04-01-92)	21 swapfest MARSHALL IL.																												
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CULB CALL SIGN K9EAM

147.120 +

147.360 +

443.500 +



GENERAL RULES

FOR MOST EXAMINATIONS:

Be sure to check with sponsors in the event there are changes and/or errors in the dates or information given.

Most examinations require filing an FCC Form 610 and advance registration at least 30 days before the exam date. (Some VECs permit walk-ins. Check with sponsor.)

To register, you must first secure a copy of the current FCC Form 610 and fill it out completely (AND CORRECTLY). Get your form from an FCC Field Office, the ARRL or Badger State Smoke Signals. Send a 29¢ SASE if you request one from the ARRL or BSSS. In most cases, forms can also be obtained from the sponsoring group.

ARRL/VEC examinations require a check for \$5.40 payable to "ARRL/VEC".

The FCC now requires applicants to show their original Amateur license to the VEC. A copy of your license must be attached to your FCC form 610. You will also be required to have a photo ID, or other acceptable identification.

Technician class licensees must show proof of testing before March 21, 1987, in order to upgrade to General with a code test only.

Additional information is given below.

The Test Point



Amateur Radio Examination Locations and Schedules in the Wisconsin Area

The following are known locations where Amateur Radio license examinations are scheduled in the Badger State area.

March 10, 1992	Juneau, WI
March 14, 1992	Appleton, WI
March 14, 1992	Marshfield, WI
March 14, 1992	Dubuque, IA
March 17, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
March 21, 1992	Madison, WI

March 21, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (BE)
March 28, 1992	Menomonie, WI
April 11, 1992	Medford, WI
April 11, 1992	Eau Claire, WI
April 11, 1992	Ashland, WI
April 18, 1992	Madison, WI
April 18, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (BE)
April 21, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
May 2, 1992	Ozaukee, WI (BE)
	Ozaukee swapfest
May 9, 1992	Marshfield, WI
May 16, 1991	Fond Du Lac, WI
May 19, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
June 13, 1992	Dubuque, IA
June 16, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
July 11, 1992,	Marshfield, WI
July 21, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
August 18, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
August 22, 1992	Fond Du Lac, WI
September 5, 1992	Dubuque, IA
September 12, 1992	Marshfield, WI
September 15, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
October 20, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
November 7, 1992	Menomonie, WI
November 14, 1992	Fond Du Lac, WI
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November 14, 1992	Marshfield, WI
November 17, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)
November 21, 1992	Dubuque, IA
December 15, 1992	Milwaukee, WI (MRAC)

Monthly, First Sat. Racine, WI
(except January, July & August)
Monthly, Last Sat. Tomahawk, WI
(January thru October only)
Monthly, Third Sat. Loves Park, IL

Many Swapfests/Hamfests offer exams. If not shown above contact the sponsoring club in the Swapfest column on page 2.

Latest Call Signs Issued by FCC

The following is a list of the FCC's most recently issued call signs as of February 1, 1992.

District	Group A Extra	Group B Advanced	Group C Tech/Gen	Group D Novice
0	AA0HI	KF0WO	N0QZE	KB0JWR
1	AA1AN	KD1GQ	N1LHQ	KA1ZQK
2	AA2HZ	KF2GI	N2PJK	KB2ODH
3	WU3X	KE3BG	N3LNX	KA3ZSF
4	AC4ND	KO4QR	**	KD4JRJ
5	AB5DT	KI5XL	N5YRO	KB5QZP
6	AB6IU	KM6PF	**	KD6FLB
7	AA7MY	KG7YG	N7WCG	KB7OOB
8	AA8GA	KF8RY	N8RYT	KB8NLT
9	AA9CX	KF9HV	N9OAX	KB9HMF
Hawaii	**	AH6LT	WH6EO	WH6COW
Alaska	**	AL7NW	WL7BO	WL7CDX
PR	**	KP4TK		WP4KVR

** All call signs in this group have been issued in this area.

QST SUBSCRIPTIONS

WHEN YOU RECEIVE YOUR NOTICE OF RENEWAL FROM QST, CONSIDER THE MIKE AND KEY CLUB. WHEN YOU SEND US YOUR RENEWAL NOTICE AND A CHECK FOR THE TOTAL RENEWAL FEE, MADE OUT TO THE MIKE AND KEY CLUB, THE CLUB WILL GET A \$2 "COMMISSION FROM QST. YOU HAVE THE TREASURERS' PERSONAL GUARANTEE TO MAIL IT IN WITHIN 24 HOURS OF RECEIPT. SEND IT TO:

TREASURER
GREEN BAY MIKE & KEY CLUB
P.O. BOX 13351
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TWO LOCALS TALKING:

AMATEUR RADIO! A HOBBY? YES, BUT WHAT ELSE IS IT? ALL THE BOOKS WRITTEN ON THE SUBJECT SPEAK OF SOMETHING ELSE, ALONG WITH ALL OF THE FUN! THE BOOKS SAY THAT ONE OF THE PRIMARY PURPOSES OF THIS "HOBBY" IS TO PROVIDE QUALIFIED RADIO OPERATORS IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY OR, WHEN NORMAL COMMUNICATIONS ARE DISRUPTED. "WAIT A MINUTE.....YOU MEAN THERE'S MORE TO HAM RADIO THAN CONTESTS AND NET JAMMIN'?.....AND WHAT'S ALL THIS BALONEY ABOUT 'QUALIFIED OPERATORS'?.....QUALIFIED IN WHAT?....."WELL, SUPPOSE, JUST SUPPOSE, THAT A TORNADO TOUCHES DOWN AND SHUTS DOWN ALL THE POWER AND PHONE SERVICE IN YOUR AREA; THEN TO MAKE IT EVEN MORE INTERESTING, A PERSON WHO KNOWS YOU ARE A HAM CAME TO ASK IF YOU COULD GET A MESSAGE OUT FOR "HELP". WHAT WOULD "YOU" BE ABLE TO DO?....."I GUESS I'D FEEL KINDA OBLIGATED TO FLIP ON THE OLD KILLER-WATT, SWING THE BEAM AROUND AND MAKE A FEW CALLS.....WOULDN'T I?"....."COME ON, THE POWER IS OUT...NOW WHAT?"....."AH ..AH, DON'T RUSH ME NOW, THIS MAY TAKE A LITTLE MORE THOUGHT!" "I GOT IT!.....ID GO GET MY TRUSTY OLD GENERATOR OUT OF THE SHED AND FIRE IT UP!.....HAVEN'T USED IT SINCE FIELD-DAY IN '63 OR '64" BUT IT ALWAYS STARTED RIGHT UP BEFORE."....."YOU HAVEN'T LOOKED AT IT IN THAT MANY YEARS AND YOU EXPECT IT TO JUST START RIGHT UP?"....."NO PROBLEM!.....THAT WAS THE BEST \$49.50 I EVER SPENT AT A SWAPFEST....YOU WORRY TOO MUCH!"....."ALRIGHT, SO YOU HOOKED UP THE GENERATOR AND GOT YOURSELF ON THE AIR, NOW WHAT?"....."LET'S SEE HERE, I'LL JUST TUNE UP ON GOOD OLE 14.313 AND PUT OUT A CALL."....."AS YOU CAN HEAR, THERE'S QUITE A GROUP OF GUYS THERE. ...SEEMS THEY ARE DISCUSSING OTHER THINGS."....."WELL, THERE'S ALWAYS THEM DARN NETS ON 300, LET'S SWING DOWN THERE AND TUNE UP."....."NOW, YOU HAVE FOUND A NET...SEEMS THEY ALL HAVE THE SAME IDEA....READY TO MAKE YOUR CALL?"....."YEA, BUT I GOT A BIGGER BEAM THAN MOST OF THEM AND BESIDES, MY STUFFS MORE IMPORTANT THAN THEIRS, I'LL JUST JUMP IN ON TOP OF THIS LID HERE AND GIVE A CALL.....WHAT'S THIS TRAFFIC STUFF HE'S TALKIN ABOUT?...HE A COP OR SOMETHING? AND BY THE WAY, WHAT'S AN ARRL NUMBER?"....."GUESS YOU SHOULD HAVE "LISTENED" TO A REGULAR NET AND LEARNED THE PROCEDURE!.....HAVE YOU EVER PARTICIPATED IN A LOCAL EMERGENCY NET?...A SEVERE WEATHER NET FOR EXAMPLE?"....."NAW, I DON'T LISTEN IN ON THAT STUFF, BESIDES, WHAT GOOD DOES IT DO?.....THERE'S ALWAYS ENOUGH OTHER GUYS OUT THERE TO TAKE CARE OF THAT STUFF!"....."YOU STILL HAVEN'T SAID HOW YOU ARE GOING TO BE OF HELP HERE."....."WELL, WE DIDN'T HAVE THESE PROBLEMS IN "CB"!..... (WOW, WHO TURNED OUT THE LIGHTS?) SOUND TYPICAL?

WB9NRK NET

WB9NRK HOLDS HIS NET ON THE 147.12 REPEATER EACH WEDNESDAY AT 8:45PM. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THIS NET, THE MIKE & KEY CLUB WILL RUN, (ON A TRIAL BASIS) A DIAL UP NEWSLINE. FIND THE TIME AND CHECK IN TO THE NET.

ELMER

By Rich Regent, K9GDF



Badger State Smoke Signals

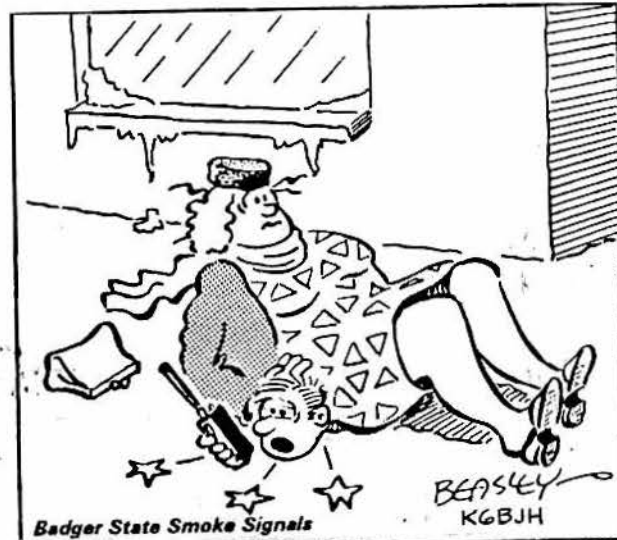
FCC Changes to New Gettysburg Address

Here is a new address for *all* amateur license applications and modifications:

Federal Communications Commission, 1270
Fairfield Road, Gettysburg, PA 17325-7245.

- The ARRL Letter, 1/27/92

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